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Statement on Passage of the Intelligence Reform Conference Report

WASHINGTON, DC— Rep. Duncan Hunter (R-CA), Chairman of the House Armed Services Committee, issued the following statement after the House passed the Intelligence Reform Conference Report. The final vote was 336-75.

“My obligation as a conferee on this bill was to protect our troops by ensuring that the chain of command in combat intelligence was protected. We succeeded. On Sunday night, after working with the Administration and Senator Warner, we drafted language that Senator Collins approved on Monday.

“Therefore, I supported this bill even though my border fence language and our drivers’ license provisions were not included.

“In this war on terror, our troops come first.”

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